Summer Reading Glub

Smith Public Library June 1 - July 30

Pick-Up your Reading Logs Beginning June 1

Dig up a good book! Earn prizes and most of all, have fun reading all summer long. Programs for kids, teens and adults.

Summer Reading Club Kickoff June 3

Join us from 9 am to noon at your new 44,000 sq. ft. Smith Public Library as we kick off the Summer Reading Club. Pick up your reading log and enjoy a bounce house, petting zoo, balloon animals, music and more.



Kids Summer Reading Club

Kids from birth to entering 5th grade can earn prizes, discover new books and have fun reading all summer long. It's easy...read 10 books or read for 10 hours.

Do not miss special programs all summer long. Most are appropriate for ages 5-10 but all ages are welcome. Free tickets are required and are distributed on a first come first serve basis the day of the program.

- June 7 Slick Jugglers; 12:30, 1:30 & 2:30 pm
- June 9 Critterman; 6 pm
- June 10 Sing-Along Matinee; The Jungle Book; 2 pm
- June 14 Magician Todd McKinney; 12:30, 1:30 & 2:30 pm
- June 16 Storyteller Doryane Breedlove; 6 pm
- June 20 First Day To Turn In Your Reading Log!
- June 21 Snake Encounters; 12:30, 1:30 & 2:30 pm
- June 23 Storytime Theatre Presents "The Tortoise and the Hare; 6 pm
- June 24 Sing-Along Matinee: The Muppet Movie; 2 pm
- June 28 Super Dave & Big Ern; 12:30 pm & 1:30 pm
- June 30 Whirled on a String; 6 pm
- July 30 Last Day to Turn In Your Reading Log!

Teen Summer Reading Club

Teens 6th-12th grade are "Going Global, Staying Connected". Complete 3 reading activities to be eligible for prizes (while supplies last). Grand prizes include a \$100 Target gift certificate, \$100 Best Buy gift certificate and \$25 gift certificates from Chiloso, Chick-fil-A, Mooyah and AMC.

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Programs are for 6th-12th graders only (no parents or younger siblings, please).

- June 9 Stage Combat with Kent Williams; 3 pm 5 pm
- June 16 Mail Art; 3 pm 5 pm
- June 23 Basics of Bollywood; 3 pm 5 pm
- June 30 WII Global Battle; 3 pm 5 pm
- July 7 Diwali Lamps and Rangoli; 3 pm 5 pm
- July 14 Lucha Libre Masks; 3 pm 5 pm
- July 21 Hula Dancing; 3 pm 5 pm
- July 28 End of Summer Party; 3 pm 5 pm

Upcoming Events

Founders Park Dedication June 3, 6 pm

The Mayor, City Council, Parks Board, and Art Board invite you to the ribbon cutting and dedication of Founders Park. New amenities include concession stands with rest rooms, a pavilion, hike/bike trails, additional parking, new sports fields and more. "Catch", Wylie's latest public art project will also be dedicated. Founders Park is located behind Wylie High School.

New Municipal Complex Dedication, June 18, 10 am

Join Mayor Hogue and the City Council for the official grand opening and dedication of your new 44,000 sq. ft. Smith Public Library, 47,000 sq. ft. Recreation Center and 46,000 sq. ft. City Hall.

Race Against Crime, June 18

The Wylie Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association invites you to Race Against Crime and show your support of the Wylie Police Department on Saturday, June 18, in historic downtown Wylie. Proceeds will be used to purchase equipment and promote crime awareness and prevention in the community. For details and registration, go to www.wyliecpaaa.org or www.runontexas.com.

City Initiates Stage One Drought Plan Zebra Mussels in Lake Texoma Limits Water Supply

The City Council, at the request of the North Texas Municipal Water District, initiated Stage 1 of the Drought Contingency Plan. Stage 1 is intended to raise public awareness of the potential drought problems and requests voluntary reduction in water use by public and wholesale customers. The City will also intensify leak detection and repair efforts.

In August 2009, The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department discovered zebra mussels in Sister Grove Creek, a tributary of the East Fork of the Trinity River and used by the NTMWD to transfer water from Lake Texoma. As a result, NTMWD voluntarily ceased pumping raw water supplies from Lake Texoma and has not resumed pumping. The infestation of 22ebra mussels in Lake Texoma has resulted in a loss of 22.5% of the NTMWD's total raw water supply. At this point, NTMWD does not have a firm date for the resumption of pumping form Lake Texoma.

"Although zebra mussels are not harmful to humans and do not contaminate the water supply, they do attach to water facilities and pipes that pump water causing increased operating and maintenance costs," said Jim Parks, NTMWD Executive Director. "Since Lake Texoma represents a quarter of our water supply, we are working with state and federal agencies to minimize zebra mussels from being transferred from Lake Texoma into the Trinity River basin and ultimately southward to the Gulf of Mexico."

Ongoing Watering Guidelines & Restrictions

- Watering lawns is prohibited between 10 am 6 pm from April 1 through October 31 of each year.
- Watering lawns is limited to twice per week.

Trash Day	Watering Days
Monday	Monday & Thursday
Tuesday	Tuesday & Friday
Wednesday	Wednesday & Saturday
Thursday	Thursday & Sunday
Friday	Friday & Monday

- Watering of impervious surfaces, including cleaning of concrete or asphalt, is prohibited
- Outdoor watering during precipitation is prohibited.
- The use of treated water to fill or refill residential, amenity, and other natural or man-made ponds is prohibited.
- Rain and freeze sensors and/or ET (evapotranspiration) or smart controllers are required on all new irrigation systems. and must be maintained and function properly.
- When washing cars, a hose with a shut-off nozzle must be used to reduce water waste.
- Watering areas that have been over-seeded with cool season grasses (such as rye grass or other similar grasses) is prohibited, except for golf courses and public athletic fields

Go to WylieTexas.gov > Departments > Public Works > Water to view the complete Water Conservation Plan.

Fun & Learning

Rita & Truett Smith Public Library

300 Country Club Drive 972-516-6250

www.WylieTexas.gov > Departments > Library

Hours: Mon., Tue. & Thur. Noon - 8 pm

Wednesday 9 am - 6 pm
Friday 11 am - 5 pm
Saturday 9 am - 4 pm

Sunday Closed

All Events Are Free and Open to the Public

Storytime, New Days, Times and Ages

Join us for books, flannel stories, finger plays, and songs.

Books & Babies (ages 0-1)

Fridays, 11 am; 20 minutes long

Toddler Time (ages 1-2)

Wednesdays 9 am & 9:45 am, Fridays 11:30 am; 25 minutes long

Big Kids (ages 3-5)

Wednesdays 10:30 am & 11:15 am; 30 minutes long

Family Storytime (all ages)

Tuesdays, 6 pm; 30 minutes long

Week of June 6 - Beasties

Week of June 13 - Digging in the Dirt

Week of June 20 - Monkey Business

Week of June 27 - Imaginary Creatures

Meet the Author, May 19, 6:30 pm

Bestselling author Rachel Caine will discuss and sign her new book, *Bite Club*.

BeTween Book & Movie Club, 6:00 pm

4th and 5th graders are invited to talk about books and movies. The first 20 kids to sign up receive a free copy of the book.

May 26 - Diary of a Wimpy Kid by Jeff Kinney

Read to Reel Film Series, June 13, Noon

Adults are invited to enjoy a free showing of Sense & Sensibility and bring a bag lunch to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the first publication of this beloved Austen classic. Seating is limited; sign up at the adult reference desk.

Friends of the Library Meeting, June 16, 6:00 pm

Fourth Monday Book Club, 6:30 pm

Adults 18 and up are invited to a book discussion

May 23 - Saving Cee Cee by Beth Hoffman

June 27 - A Reliable Wife by Robert Goolrick

Wagging Tales, Tuesdays, 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

Practice reading aloud to Abby the Collie. Tickets are required and will be distributed on a first come first served basis the evening of the program.